

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace paragraph [0008] with the following paragraph.

Another attempt to achieve a more efficient amplifier or driver system is disclosed in the U.S. Patent No. 3,961,280, by Sampei, entitled "Amplifier Circuit Having Power Supply Voltage Responsive to Amplitude of Input Signal," issued on June 1, ~~1996~~ 1976, which is hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety. In Sampei, a class of amplifiers, designated as class 'G' amplifiers, are disclosed. The amplifier disclosed by Sampei changes the power supply voltages in accordance with the magnitude of an input signal.